

## **METHOD OF FORMING AN OPTICAL COMPONENT**

### **ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION**

A method of forming an optical component is disclosed. The method includes forming a first medium on a base. The base has one or more pockets defined in a side of the base. The first medium is formed on the base such that the first medium is positioned over the one or more pockets. The method also includes converting at least a portion of the first medium to a light transmitting medium.

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